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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Draftsperson's Drawing Review (PTO Form 948) dated 2/3/00 (copy enclosed), applicant encloses herewith a new set of formal drawings for FIGS. 1 - 10 (ten sheets total).

Notice of the approval of these drawings is respectfully requested.

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